

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Confirmation No. : 2517  
Customer No. : 27752  
Title : Method and Apparatus for Making Flexible Articles Having  
Elastic-Like Behavior with Visually distinct Regions

**REPLY AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.113**

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**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

In response to the Office Action of September 19, 2008, please consider the following remarks and reconsider the application.

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